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School for this year, and it having been announced that Prof. Morris Jastrow, Jr., of the University of Pennsylvania, was expected to spend the year 1921-22 in the Orient, he was appointed Lecturer in the School for that season.

The following is the program of the Fourth General Meeting of the Palestine Oriental Society held in Jerusalem January 19: 'Traditions secondaires sur la grotte de Macpélah' by Père Abel; 'Political Parties in Palestine: Qaisi and Yemeni' by Mr. E. N. Haddad; 'Le sacrifice dans le tribu des Fuqara' by Père Jaussen; 'La ville de Ramses d'après les documents égyptiens' by Père Mallon; 'The excavations at Tiberias' by Dr. Slousch; 'The Melodic Theme in Ancient Hebrew Prayers' by Mr. A. Z. Idelson; 'Haunted Springs and Water-Demons in Palestine' by Dr. Canaan; 'A Visit to Petra by an Englishman in 1852' by Mr. L. G. A. Cust.

The Directors of the University of Pennsylvania Museum have decided to excavate Bethshean (Scythopolis) in the Jordan Valley. The funds are in hand and permission has been secured from the local government.

The organization last summer of the Dutch Oriental Society (Oostersch Genootschap in Nederland) is announced, with its seat in Leiden. Dr. C. Snouck Hurgronje is provisional president, and Dr. J. Ph. Vogel (address, Noordeindsplein 4a) is secretary.

PERSONALIA

WILLIAM H. FURNESS, 3D, M. D., a Member of this Society, died at Wallingford, Pa., August 11, 1920, in his fifty-fifth year. An explorer in the Far East, he was the author of *Head Hunters of Borneo*, *Stone Money*, and other learned publications.

JOSEPH G. ROSENGARTEN, LL.D., a Member of this Society, died in Philadelphia on January 14, at the age of eighty-five. His life was one of broad-minded devotion to all public causes, civic, educational and philanthropic, and he was a benefactor of Oriental and archaeological enterprises.

It is announced that the remaining manuscript left behind by the late Prof. C. H. W. JOHNS, of Cambridge University, for the completion of his *Assyrian Deeds and Documents*, will be edited by Mrs. Johns.

In celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the doctorate of Professor MAURICE BLOOMFIELD, fourteen of his pupils have just published a volume entitled 'Studies in Honor of Maurice Bloomfield, Professor of Sanskrit and Comparative Philology in the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland' (Yale University Press, New Haven, 1920; pp. xxxii, 312; \$6.00). The volume contains a biographical sketch and bibliography of Professor Bloomfield's writings to date, in addition to the fourteen articles, which are mostly devoted to Indological or Comparative-Philological subjects. The names of about two hundred and fifty 'Subscribers and Cooperating Dedicators', who joined the contributors in honoring Professor Bloomfield, are also printed in the volume.

Dr. LOUIS H. GRAY, attached successively to the American Commission to Negotiate Peace and to the U. S. Embassy at Paris, has accepted an appointment at the University of Nebraska as Associate Professor of Philosophy, and is lecturing on Civilizations of the Orient, Oriental Philosophies and Oriental Religions.

Dr. D. G. HOGARTH, Keeper of the Ashmolean Museum, etc., has been visiting this country in February and March. He has lectured at the University of Pennsylvania, Yale University, the University of Wisconsin, and at Chicago, Cincinnati, and other points. On March 4 he addressed a joint session of the Oriental Club and the Classical Club of Philadelphia.